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**DAR AWARDS**—Mrs. Herman Basler, left, regent of Santa Ana Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, and Mrs. Julian Eberhart, right, chairman of the DAR Good Citizen Awards, are pictured with seven high school girls, award winners. The girls are, from left, Misses Nan Seamon, Bolsa Grande; Robin Titensor, Tustin; Melissa Cervantes, Orange; Sara Klanczko, Garden Grove; June Nakatani, Valley; Molly Goodman, Rancho Alamitos; and Paula Rogers, Santa Ana. (Register photo)

## Santa Ana Chapter, DAR Gives Good Citizen Certificates

Seven high school girls were awarded DAR Good Citizen pins and certificates of merit at the latest meeting of Santa Ana Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, in the Source Room of Santa Ana Library. Making the awards were Mrs. Julian Eberhart, chairman of DAR Good Citizens, and Mrs. Herman H. Basler, regent.

Receiving the awards for dependability, service, leadership and patriotism, were Paula Rogers, Santa Ana High School, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers; Melissa Cervantes, Orange, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cervantes; Sara Klanczko, Garden Grove, daughter of L. and Mrs. Harold A. Klanczko; June Nakatani, Valley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Nakatani; Robin Titensor, Tustin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Titensor; Molly Goodman, Rancho Alamitos, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Goodman; and Nan Seamon, Bolsa Grande, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Seamon.

In a state wide essay contest, Sara Klanczko was the runner-up in the District which includes Orange County and East Los Angeles. The girls, their mothers and deans of girls were honored at a tea following the meeting. Giving short accounts of the qualifications for selecting Good Citizens were Mrs. Allen LeBarthe, Garden Grove; Mrs. Virginia Fielding, Valley; Miss Virginia Shutt, Tustin; Mrs. Mary Saffey Reed, Santa Ana; Mrs. Grace Robertson, Orange; Miss Dena Christianson, Rancho Alamitos; and Mrs. Mary McClain, Bolsa Grande.

Guests were Mrs. William E. Fort Jr., Buena Park; Mrs. Howard C. Johnston, Jamesport, L. I. N. Y.; Mrs. Florence Gillings, Wilmette; Mrs. Frances M. McKelvey, Huntington Beach; Mrs. Kenneth J. Harrison, Mrs. Stanley C. Main and Mrs. Floyd B. Rogers. A short memorial service for Mrs. David S. Potts, late vice regent of the chapter, was given by Mrs. Frank H. Curtis, acting chaplain. Donations will be sent to two DAR schools in her memory, Kate Duncan Smith, Grant

Ala., and Tomasson in South Carolina.

The librarian, Mrs. Harry W. Wood, reported that several books had been given to the library as a gift of Mrs. G. M. Butler, a chapter member. They are volumes VI and VII of The Compendium of American Genealogy—First Families of America, two volumes of the New England Historical and Genealogical Register and Connecticut Soldiers in the Pequot War of 1637.

The registrar, Mrs. Clifford M. Moser, reported that Misses Melvin Schantz, Richard Carr, J. V. Jarrett and William A. Watkins Jr. had been accepted as members.

Mrs. Bert C. Finley, national defense chairman, spoke on the Communist affiliations of appointees to the International Court of Justice and how their decrees could adversely affect the U.S. in the Panama Canal Zone and the Guantanamo Air Base in Cuba.

Delegates elected for the 33rd California State Conference to be held in the Claremont Hotel, Berkeley, February 25-March 2, were Misses Orlando Abaire, Eugene L. Oberly and Ernest S. Ross.

Mrs. William M. Lindsay was

elected as a delegate to the 76th Continental Congress to be held in Constitution Hall, Washington, D. C., April 17-21. Alternates are Mrs. M. Curtis, Finley, Oberly and Leonard G. Swales.

Mrs. Harry L. Anderson, chairman of Americanism, announced that she and Mrs. Oberly, chairman of DAR Manuals for Citizenship, had attended the naturalization ceremony of 84 new citizens in the Orange County Courthouse and had presented each new citizen with an American flag.

DAR Manuals are donated to all citizenship classes in the area and may be found in the libraries in several different languages.

Announcement was made that the regent and Mrs. Curtis, defense chairman, spoke on the birthday luncheon of Caballita Chapter in the Biltmore Hotel, Palm Springs. At the invitation of the regent, Mrs. Fred A. Nitchy, the state vice-regent, Mrs. Frank R. Mettlich, was guest speaker, telling of the history of the DAR from its founding in 1890 by charter from the U.S. government to the present time.

It was announced that Mrs. Edwin A. Baird had given an American flag in the Chapter's name to the Anglican Episcopal Church in Montreux, Switzerland.

The historian, Mrs. W. M. Lindsay, reported that Mayor A. A. Hall has proclaimed February as American History Month, and in keeping with this, portraits of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln were on display and the tea table was centered with an arrangement of red carnations and white stock, tied with wide blue ribbon. Mrs. Lindsay was chairman of the tea committee and Mrs. Abaire presided at the silver service.

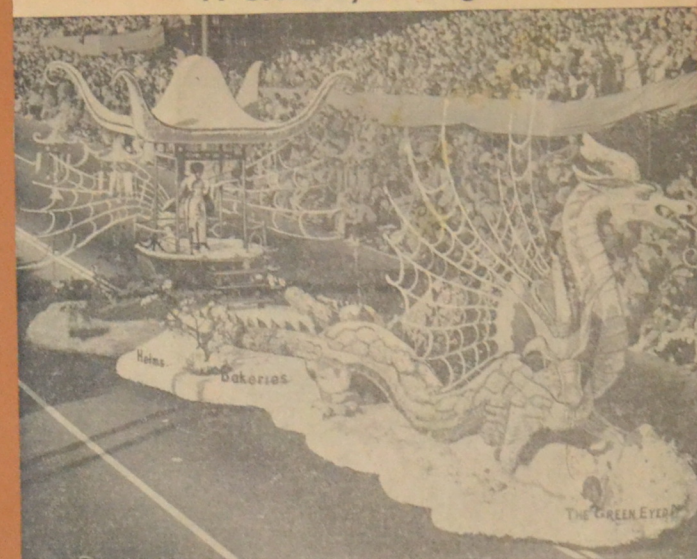
## Bolsa Grande High Elects Student Heads

**GARDEN GROVE**—Gary Stuel, a mathematics and science major, has been named president of the student body at Bolsa Grande High School. Other officers are George Seeley, vice president, and Irene Yamami, secretary.



**GOOD CITIZEN AWARD**—Miss June Nakatani, daughter of the David K. Nakatani of Santa Ana, has been selected by senior girls and faculty of Santa Ana Valley High School as the Good Citizen of the Year. She will receive the Good Citizen Award of Santa Ana Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution at a tea Feb. 6 in the Santa Ana Library when DAR chapter will entertain girls from Orange County high schools. Mrs. Julian Eberhart, chairman of the good citizen committee, will present each girl with a pin from the Chapter, and Mrs. Herman Basler, regent, will present them with certificates from the National Society.

## 'A' Green Eyed Dragon'



## Millions view Nisei-built grand prize Rose float

The 72nd Annual Tournament of Roses Parade is now history, but to two Samsel girls and to a group of other youngsters the parade will be relived and remembered for the rest of their lives.

Two teenage girls, Doris Pullino of Orange County and Shirley Nishimura of Santa Monica, were thrilled when their respective floats, the "Green-Eyed Dragon" and "Poor Butterfly", won the major tournament prizes.

Both girls were clad in kimono and gracefully stood as the lone central figure on the floats as they were viewed by an estimated crowd of 1,700,000 onlookers in Pasadena. Millions more witnessed the event over television.

The "Green-Eyed Dragon" was the entry made by Helms Bakery and was one of the eight floats

designed by Isabelle Coleman, pioneer float builder, and assisted by Nisei aeronautical engineer Jimmy Iwanaga.

Doris stood under a pagoda while a fire-breathing monster in red, gold, orange, green and lavender blooms guarded the gateway. The pagoda was dressed in chrysanthemum and vanda orchid blooms. An estimated 100,000 blooms graced the float.

The Grand prize award was the top honor that could be captured by a commercial entry. The cost of the float is reported to be over \$35,000 in value. Its framework was considered to be one of the most delicate in the entire parade.

The Queen's trophy was won by "Poor Butterfly" for the best effective display of roses. It was designed privately and decorated in a warehouse in Rosemead.

The citizens of Santa Monica contributed to the float, which was built at a cost of nearly \$7,000. The West Los Angeles Japanese Community contributed \$200 to cause, according to Mrs. Florence E. Cardine and Mr. Halg Torolan, co-chairmen for the float project

under the auspices of the Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce.

Shirley, a Santa Monica high school senior honor student, was dressed in a gown loaned for the occasion by Hanayagi Tokuyasu.

"The Mikado", entry of the American Trucking Assn, won the Class F award with Fred Yamaguchi in the title role Adrian models Panna Onishi and Irene Kobayashi gracing the floats in kimono.

Marsha Motoyama, in kimono, was seen on the Salvation Army float, while second grader Kay Nagatani waved to the crowd from behind the schoolhouse of the Pasadena School float.

A lone Samsel girl, also in kimono, bedecked one of many foreign costume figures on the Sierrita Madrona float.

Leone Kahiwonanalani Leong, an Aloha Airline stewardess and a true Hawaiian beauty, drew whistles from the onlookers as she danced a hula on the "Sweet Lullaby" float, winner of the theme

The participants all arose early in order to be on time and on their float by 7:30 a.m., despite a chilling early morning 40 degrees. It turned warmer as the sun came out.

In spite of the chilliness, the nervousness at first, and the excitement of the parade, all the participants enjoyed it and were happy to be a part of the parade witnessed by the greatest number of people ever to be watching at one time.

## SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS AT WESTERN HIGH SCHOOL

**ANAHEIM**—Among the seniors who gained scholarships to colleges and universities at Western High School were: Masao Warren Kusaka, Southwest Anaheim Kiwanis scholarship; Robert Makino, Whittier College scholarship; Ronald Tamura, State scholarship; Sharon Umoto, student body treasurer who won Northern Orange County Pan-Hellenic scholarship and Honors at Entrance at UCLA.